

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

In re: REFCO INC., SECURITIES LITIGATION

07 MDL Docket No. 1902

MARC S. KIRSCHNER,
As Trustee of the Refco Litigation Trust,

Plaintiff,

No. 07-Civ. 11604 (GEL)

-vs.-

GRANT THORNTON LLP, et al.,

Defendants.

**MOTION TO ADMIT
ALAN C. THOMAS
PRO HAC VICE**

PURSUANT TO LOCAL RULE 1.3(c) of the Local Rules of the United States District Court for the Southern and Eastern District of New York, I, Aaron E. Albert, a member in good standing of the bar of this Court, hereby move for an Order allowing the admission *pro hac vice* of

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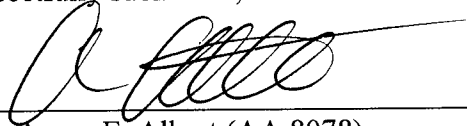
Alan C. Thomas is a member in good standing of the bar of the State of New Jersey and is admitted to practice in the United States District Court for the District of New Jersey. Mr. Thomas is also admitted to practice before the United States Courts of Appeals for the Third and Fourth Circuits.

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There are no pending disciplinary proceedings against Alan C. Thomas in any State or Federal court.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Aaron E. Albert, an attorney, hereby certify that on March 25, 2008, I caused the foregoing Motion for Admission Pro Hac Vice of Alan C. Thomas by Defendants Beckenham Trading Co., Inc. and Andrew Krieger to be served by regular mail on the consolidated distribution list:

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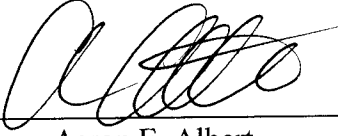
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**AFFIDAVIT OF AARON E.
ALBERT IN SUPPORT OF
MOTION TO ADMIT
ALAN C. THOMAS
*PRO HAC VICE***

State of New Jersey)
) SS:
County of Bergen)

AARON E. ALBERT, being duly sworn, hereby deposes and says:

1. I am an associate attorney of the law firm of Fischer Porter Thomas & Reinfeld, P.C., attorneys for Defendants Beckenham Trading Company, Inc. and Andrew Krieger in the above-captioned matter. As such, I am familiar with the proceedings in this matter. I make this statement based on my personal knowledge of the facts set forth herein and in support of said defendants' motion to admit Alan C. Thomas as counsel *pro hac vice* to represent said defendants in this matter.

2. I am a member in good standing of the bars of the States of New York and New Jersey, and was admitted to practice law in New York on January 24, 2006 and in New Jersey on March 8, 2006. I am also admitted to the bar of the United States District Courts for the Southern District of New York, and am in good standing with this Court.

3. I have known Alan C. Thomas since January 2006.

4. Mr. Thomas is a partner of Fischer Porter Thomas & Reinfeld, P.C.

5. I know Mr. Thomas to be a skilled attorney and a person of integrity. He is experienced in Federal practice and is familiar with the Federal Rules of Procedure.

6. Mr. Thomas is a member in good standing of the bar of the State of New Jersey. A certificate of good standing is attached hereto as **Exhibit A**.

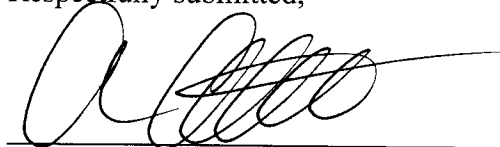
7. Accordingly, I am pleased to move this Court for the admission of Alan C. Thomas, *pro hac vice*.

8. I respectfully submit a proposed order granting the admission of Alan C. Thomas, *pro hac vice*, which is enclosed herewith.

WHEREFORE, it is respectfully requested that the motion to admit Alan C. Thomas, *pro hac vice*, to represent Defendants Beckenham Trading Company, Inc. and Andrew Krieger in the above-captioned matter be granted.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Respectfully submitted,



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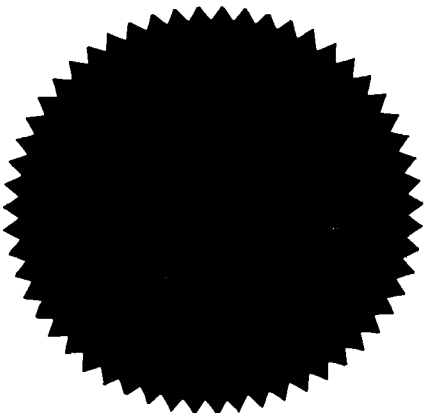


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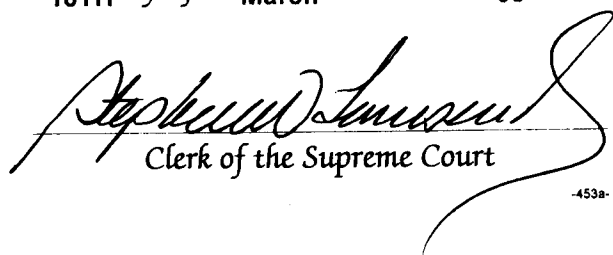
This is to certify that **ALAN C THOMAS**
(No. **038441987**) was constituted and appointed an Attorney at Law of New
Jersey on **December 18, 1987** and, as such,
has been admitted to practice before the Supreme Court and all other courts of this State
as an Attorney at Law, according to its laws, rules, and customs.

I further certify that as of this date, the above-named is an Attorney at Law in
Good Standing. For the purpose of this Certificate, an attorney is in "Good Standing"
if the Court's records reflect that the attorney: 1) is current with all assessments
imposed as a part of the filing of the annual Attorney Registration Statement, including,
but not limited to, all obligations to the New Jersey Lawyers' Fund for Client
Protection; 2) is not suspended or disbarred from the practice of law; 3) has not
resigned from the Bar of this State; and 4) has not been transferred to Disability
Inactive status pursuant to Rule 1:20-12.

*Please note that this Certificate does not constitute confirmation of an attorney's
satisfaction of the administrative requirements of Rule 1:21-1(a) for eligibility to
practice law in this State.*



In testimony whereof, I have
hereunto set my hand and
affixed the Seal of the
Supreme Court, at Trenton, this
18TH day of March , 20 08


Clerk of the Supreme Court

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**ORDER FOR ADMISSION
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ON WRITTEN MOTION**

Upon the motion of Aaron E. Albert, attorney for Defendants Beckenham Trading Company, Inc. and Andrew Krieger, and the affidavit of Aaron E. Albert submitted in support, pursuant to Local Civil Rule 1.3(c);

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that

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is admitted to practice *pro hac vice* as counsel for Defendants Beckenham Trading Company, Inc. and Andrew Krieger in the above-captioned case in the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York. All attorneys appearing before this Court are subject to the Local Rules of this Court, including the Rules governing discipline of attorneys. If this action is assigned to the Electronic Case Filing (ECF) system, counsel shall immediately apply for an ECF password at nysd.uscourts.gov. Counsel shall forward the required \$25 *pro hac vice* fee to the

Clerk of the Court.

Dated: _____, 2008
New York, New York

Hon. Gerard E. Lynch, U.S.D.J.